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NOTES AND NEWS

AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

The second volume of the *Annual Report* for 1908, a volume of nearly 1600 pages, completing the Diplomatic Correspondence of the Republic of Texas, will probably be ready before the issue of the next number of this journal. All galley-proofs of the Annual Report for 1909 have been read, including "Writings on American History, 1909".

The Committee on Bibliography is privately circulating, for corrections preliminary to final print, its list of volumes of sources for European history contained in American libraries.

The preparation of the Association's biennial *Handbook* is at such a stage that members sending prompt notice of new addresses and other corrections may still hope to be in time to have them entered.

In the series *Original Narratives of Early American History*, the volume of *Narratives of Early Carolina*, edited by Mr. A. S. Salley, Jr., is published by Messrs. Charles Scribner's Sons at about the same date as this journal.

At the instance of the American Historical Association Mr. David M. Matteson has begun the preparation of a General Index to all the publications of the Association including the five volumes of *Papers* and the whole series of the *Annual Reports*. It may be expected that the index (probably two volumes) will be ready for publication in 1913.

PERSONAL

Father Charles de Smedt, S. J., for many years president of the society of the Bollandists, died at Brussels March 4, aged seventy-eight. Besides collaboration in several volumes of the *Acta Sanctorum*, an edition of the *Gesta Episcoporum Cameracensium* (1880), and many contributions to learned periodicals, he was noted for mastery of historical criticism and as the author of two excellent books upon its methods, *Introductio Generalis ad Historiam Ecclesiasticam critice tractandam* (1876) and *Principes de la Critique Historique* (1883). He was the chief founder of the *Analecta Bollandiana*.

Rev. Hereford B. George, senior fellow of New College, Oxford, died on December 15, at the age of seventy-two. He was the author of *Genealogical Tables illustrative of Modern History* and of *The Relations of Geography and History*, both of which had passed into their fourth editions.

We notice with regret the death of Mrs. Alice Morse Earle. Her many books on the manners and customs of America in the colonial and Revolutionary period have given great pleasure to thousands of readers,

and have been marked by solid but unobtrusive learning as well as by skilful presentation and attractive style. Mrs. Earle was a woman of many high qualities and of much social charm.

The president and fellows of Harvard University have assigned to Professor Edward Channing the income for 1911 and 1912 of the Woodbury Lowery Fellowship, described in our last issue, page 411.

Professor Charles H. McIlwain of Bowdoin College has been elected to an assistant professorship of history in Harvard University, where his especial field will be the history of English law and institutions.

Dr. Theodore F. Collier, assistant professor in Williams College, has been elected associate professor of modern European history at Brown University, to take next autumn the place of Professor Wilfred H. Munro, who has resigned on account of ill health.

Professor Howard W. Caldwell of the University of Nebraska has been given leave of absence for a year.

GENERAL

The American Year Book: a Record of Events and Progress, 1910 (New York, Appleton, 1911, pp. xx, 867), edited by Dr. S. N. D. North under direction of a supervisory board representing national learned societies, with Professor Albert Bushnell Hart as chairman, appeared in February, and furnishes, in the different fields of statistics, history, politics, economics, industries, the physical and social sciences, a great mass and variety of facts as to status and the year's progress.

Besides the Indianapolis papers of Messrs. Goodwin and Dunn, noted elsewhere, the March number of the *History Teacher's Magazine* contained an article by Professor Frederick J. Turner upon The Place of the Ohio Valley in American History. The April number contains the article of Professor Charles M. Andrews mentioned in the same connection, a report by Professor Arthur I. Andrews of Simmons College on material for the visualization of history, an article upon historical atlases by Professor Don E. Smith, and one upon historical pictures by Miss Laura Thompson. The May number is expected to contain the Indianapolis papers of Professor Dawson, Professor Hoover, and Miss Riggs, detailed accounts of the work of history in the summer schools of this country, and a description of the historical work at the Oxford Summer School. The June issue will contain a reprint of the illustrated article upon English castles printed in pamphlet form for the (English) Historical Association.

B. G. Teubner, Leipzig, has published the first issue of a new journal (of which there will be six issues annually) bearing the title, *Vergangenheit und Gegenwart: Zeitschrift für die Geschichtsunterricht und Staatsbürgerliche Erziehung in allen Schulgattungen*, edited by Dr. Fritz Friedrich and Dr. Paul Ruhlmann. The publisher's introductory statement declares it to be the object of the publication to aid in the

development of "historisch-kritisches Sinnes" and of "eines historisch begründeten Verständnisses der Gegenwart". The editors are engaged in secondary school-work in Leipzig and they apparently aim to make the journal a direct auxiliary in this work.

The house of M. and H. Marcus, Breslau, has undertaken the publication of a collection entitled *Historische Untersuchungen*, edited by Conrad Cichorius, Georg Kauffman, Franz Kampers, and Georg Fr. Preuss. It will embrace monographs over the whole field of history including economic and Kulturgeschichte, and will begin with a study by Willy Cohn, *Die Geschichte der Normannisch-Sicilischen Flotte unter der Regierung Rogers I. and Rogers II. (1060-1154)* (Breslau, 1910).

In the *Revue de Synthèse Historique* for October there is a brief summary by the editor, M. Henri Berr, of the present phase of the controversy between Professor K. Lamprecht and his critics; it is accompanied by a translation of Lamprecht's address on the occasion of his assuming his rectoral functions at the University of Leipzig.

Methuen announces *The Republican Tradition in Europe*, by H. A. L. Fisher, who covers the field from the fall of the Roman Empire to the establishment of the Republic of Portugal.

G. P. Putnam's Sons have published *A Short History of Women's Rights, from the Days of Augustus to the Present Time, with Special Reference to the United States and England*, by Eugene A. Hecker; the book is announced as not argumentative.

The naval development and aspirations of modern Germany are reflected in a small volume published by Quelle and Meyer, Leipzig, entitled *Seehelden und Admirale*, by Vice-Admiral Kirchhoff, being Band 84 in the collection *Wissenschaft und Bildung*. The author aims to present both the careers of great maritime leaders of all ages and the progress of the art of maritime warfare. The most modern period is represented by Nelson, Farragut, and Tegethoff.

Volume II. of the second series of the *Papers of the American Society of Church History* contains papers read at the meetings of December 1908 and 1909: the presidential addresses of Professor Henry E. Jacobs and Professor Francis A. Christie, and other papers, on the Church and Medieval Trades-Unions, by Mr. Edward W. Miller; on Luther and Economic Questions, by Mr. John A. Faulkner; on the Beginnings of the Lutheran Church on Manhattan Island, by Dr. John Nicum; on the Early Dutch Anabaptists, by Mr. Henry E. Doshier, etc.

At the ninth annual meeting of the American Jewish Historical Society, held in Philadelphia on February 12 and 13, important papers were read by Mr. Samuel Oppenheim on the early history of the Jews in New York, 1664-1734, and on the expulsion of the Jews from Bohemia, 1744-1745, and the action of the Jews of England thereon; by Mr.

Lee M. Friedman on Judah Monis; by Rev. Barnett A. Elzas on the first Reformed Jewish prayer-book in America; by Rev. J. Friedlander on the first Jewish periodical published in this country; and by Mr. Leon Hühner on the Jew in music in America.

The Librairie Beauchesne, Paris, published in 1910 fascicles 3, 4, and 5 of the *Dictionnaire Apologétique de la Foi Catholique*; the work is being carried on in a large way, and these additions contain such important articles as that by Paul Allard on "Esclavage" and that by Paul Fournier on "Fausses Décrétales".

A marked activity has been shown of late in the field of publication with respect to the Mussulman peoples and movements. A. Picard, Paris, announces an important addition under the title *Encyclopédie de l'Islam, Dictionnaire Géographique, Ethnographique et Biographique des Peuples Musulmans*; it is being prepared by a group of Orientalists of various nationalities under the direction of Professors M. Th. Houtsma of the University of Utrecht and R. Basset of the University of Algiers. No such work at present exists. There have been published already six fascicules comprising 384 pages and coming to the word *Arabie*; the rate of progress will be four fascicules annually, and the work will be complete in fifteen fascicules, making three volumes.

In the *Bulletin* of the New York Public Library for January a list of works relating to Arabia and the Arabs is begun.

Ph. Lauer furnishes for the *Revue Historique* for January-February a useful general review of recent (1908-1910) publications on the sciences auxiliary to history.

In the issue for December 10 of *La Revue du Mois* (Paris) will be found under the title "Le Problème de la Géographie Politique" a brief condensation by Camille Vallaux of his forthcoming publication, *Géographie Sociale: le Sol et l'État* (Paris, O. Doin), a book of considerable interest from the point of view particularly of the relations between history and geography. The author finds a clue to the development and movements of state-building peoples in a differentiation of territories into those marked by comparative uniformity over wide areas, and those exhibiting great contrasts or numerous diversities in comparatively limited space; these latter prove the determining elements in the upbuilding of states, becoming the meeting-ground of different groups and the starting-point for the spread of these diverging groups over the adjacent wider areas of less diversity.

Henry Holt and Company announce *The Influences of Geographic Environment*, by Ellen Churchill Semple.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: C. H. Hayes, *History in the College Course* (Educational Review, March); G. v. Below, *Kulturgeschichte und Kulturgeschichtliche Unterricht* (Historische Zeitschrift, CVI. 1); M. R. Vesnitch, *Deux Précurseurs Français du Pacifisme et de l'Arbitrage International* (Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique, XXV. 1).

ANCIENT HISTORY

The *Bibliothèque de l'École des Hautes-Études* has published as no. 179 a collection of *Lettres Néo-babyloniennes* edited by Fr. Martin, and containing 112 documents in the original and in translation. They are published after the facsimiles of the cuneiform texts published by the British Museum.

T. Fisher Unwin, London, announces a translation by Marian C. Harrison of Professor Angelo Mosso's recent work, under the title *The Dawn of Mediterranean Civilisation*; it deals with the stone, copper, and bronze ages with special reference to Italy and the spread of civilization from the valley of the Nile.

Paul Geuthner, Paris, has issued *Les Civilisations Préhelléniques dans le Bassin de la Mer Égée: Études de Protohistoire Orientale* (pp. 370, 1910). This work endeavors to summarize the results of recent excavations especially in Crete, and has developed from courses of lectures given in the École d'Anthropologie at Paris.

A preliminary report on the American excavations at Sardes in Asia Minor, by Professor Howard C. Butler, is printed in the *American Journal of Archaeology* for October–December, 1910.

In the series *Die Kultur der Gegenwart*, edited by Professor Paul Hinneberg and published by Teubner, Leipzig, there is announced *Staat und Gesellschaft der Griechen und Römer* by A. v. Wilamowitz-Moellendorf and B. Niese, the former dealing with Greece and the latter with Rome.

The Oxford University Press will issue soon a book by Professor Spenser Wilkinson on *Hannibal's March through the Alps*, pronouncing for the Col du Clapier.

The eighth revised and enlarged edition of Ludwig Friedländer's *Darstellungen aus der Sittengeschichte Roms* is completed with the issue of Bände III. and IV. (Leipzig, Hirzel, 1910).

The firm of D. Nutt will soon issue *Monumenta Historica Celtica*, a collection of references in classical authors brought together by Mr. W. Dinan.

A. Picard, Paris, has published the first part of the second volume of Joseph Déchelette's *Manuel d'Archéologie Préhistorique Celtique et Gallo-romaine*, the volume being occupied with the age of bronze.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: G. Bloch, *La Plèbe Romaine* (*Revue Historique*, March–April).

EARLY CHURCH HISTORY

The *Revue de l'Histoire des Religions* for September–October contains the first section of a study by M. Goguel entitled "Juifs et Romains

dans l'Histoire de la Passion", in which the author investigates the evidence for the ordinary representation (as by Mommsen) of the part played in the drama respectively by Jews and by Romans. This should be considered in connection with the volume published in Paris in 1909 by Picard, *Une Province Procuratorienne au Début de l'Empire Romain: Le Procès de Jésus-Christ*, by Henri Regnault.

Professor Deissmann's *Licht von Osten*, published in 1908, is issued by Hodder and Stoughton, London, under the title *Light from the Ancient East; the New Testament illustrated by recently discovered Texts of the Graeco-Roman World*, the translation being by L. R. M. Stratton, a former colleague of the author. The special contribution of the author to New Testament interpretation has been described as being "his proof that the Greek is essentially the *lingua franca* of the Roman Empire, accessible to us now in the non-literary papyri and ostraca of Egypt, and to a rather less degree in the inscriptions of the Hellenistic period", an idea originally set forth in Professor Deissmann's earlier studies and more fully elaborated here on the basis of recently discovered material.

Hinrichs, Leipzig, have published *Entstehung und Entwicklung der Kirchenverfassung und des Kirchenrechts in den zwei ersten Jahrhunderten*, by Adolf Harnack (1910, pp. xi, 252). This is for the most part only a slightly changed reprint of Harnack's treatment of the subject in Hauck's *Theologische Realencyklopädie*, but there has been added an attack upon R. Sohm's diverging views.

Comm. Orazio Marucchi, in his *Epigrafia Cristiana: Trattato Elementare con una Silloge di Antiche Iscrizioni Cristiane principalmente di Roma* (Milan, Hoepli, 1910, pp. 453), endeavors to present the student with an adequate general treatise and adds the text of nearly five hundred inscriptions, classified and annotated.

Dr. A. J. Maclean's *The Ancient Church Orders* and the late Bishop Dowden's *The Church Year and Calendar* (Cambridge, University Press, 1910, pp. 181, 160) are excellent brief historical manuals opening the series entitled *The Cambridge Handbooks of Liturgical Study*.

A work of high importance by an eminent scholar long occupied with the subject is the archimandrite Chrysostomos Papadopoulos's *Ἱστορία τῆς Ἐκκλησίας Ἱεροσολύμων* (Alexandria, printing-office of the Greek patriarchate, 1910, pp. xxxii, 812), covering all periods and aspects of the theme.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: C. Callewaert, *La Méthode dans la Recherche de la Base Juridique des Premières Persécutions*, I. (*Revue d'Histoire Ecclésiastique*, January); P. J. Healy, *Historic Christianity and the Social Question* (*Catholic University Bulletin*, January); *id.*, *Social and Economic Questions in the Early Church* (*ibid.*, February); *id.*, *The Social Value of Asceticism* (*ibid.*, March).

MEDIEVAL HISTORY

It has been announced that the first volume of the *Cambridge Medieval History*, planned by Professor Bury and edited by Professors H. M. Gwatkin and J. P. Whitney, will be ready about Easter, 1911. The whole work will consist of eight volumes composed upon the same general plan as the *Cambridge Modern History*, but with some improvements of detail. The volumes will be published in chronological order, about two volumes each year. The first volume, beginning with Constantine and covering the fourth and fifth centuries, contains twenty-one chapters. Among the writers we note the names of Professors Gwatkin, Pfister, Haverfield, Du Moulin and Vinogradoff, Principal Lindsay, Mr. E. W. Brooks, Miss Alice Gardner, and Dom E. C. Butler; in the list for the second volume, those of Professors Diehl, Altamira, Jullian, Whitney, Burr, and Seeliger, Dr. L. M. Hartmann and Dr. Montague R. James. Full bibliographies are promised, "and, where necessary, footnotes to the text are admitted". The volumes will bear the titles: The Christian Roman Empire and the Foundation of the Teutonic Kingdoms; The Rise of the Saracens and the Foundation of the Western Empire; Germany and the Western Empire; The Eastern Roman Empire; The Crusades; The Roman Theocracy; Decline of the Empire and the Papacy; Growth of the Western Kingdoms.

A quarterly review with the title *Revue Charlemagne* has been established by several professors of the University of Fribourg and will be devoted to the history and archaeology of western Europe in the early Middle Ages. It will be published by Fontemoing in Paris.

A. Picard, Paris, has added to their *Collection de Manuels d'Archéologie et d'Histoire de l'Art* a two-volume work by M. Camille Enlart, director of the Trocadéro Museum of Comparative Sculpture, on the architecture of the Middle Ages.

The *Weltgeschichte in Charakterbildern*, issued under the direction of F. Kampers, S. Merkle, and M. Spahn, has added a study of *Theoderich der Grosse* by Professor Georg Pfeilschifter. The book is profusely illustrated with special reference to the aspect of the fall of the Roman Empire that is indicated in the subtitle, *Die Germanen im Römischen Reich*.

The report of the work during 1910 of the Roman Institute of the Görres-Gesellschaft records the completion of vols. II. and III. of the *Vatikanische Quellen zur Geschichte der Päpstlichen Hof- und Finanzverwaltung*, edited by Dr. K. H. Schäfer and coming down through the pontificate of Clement VI. Dr. J. Schweizer has completed vol. II. of the *Kaiserliche Nuntiatur*, dealing with 1587-1590. Dr. Fr. X. Seppelt has made good progress with his edition of the sources for Celestine V., and the publications relating to the Council of Trent are proceeding rapidly.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: P. Allard, *Les Origines du Servage* (Revue des Questions Historiques, January); Miss L. M. Smith, *Cluny and Gregory VII.* (English Historical Review, January); E. Hoffmann, *Die Entwicklung der Wirtschaftsprinzipien im Cisterzienserorden während des 12. u. 13. Jahrhunderts* (Historische Jahrschrift, XXXI.); K. Hampe, *Altes und Neues über die Stigmatisation des hl. Franz von Assisi* (Archiv für Kulturgeschichte, VIII. 3).

MODERN EUROPEAN HISTORY

Ed. Cornély, Paris, has just published for the *Revue d'Histoire Moderne et Contemporaine*, the first *Table Générale* of that journal, covering the years 1899-1909, t. I.-XII. It is divided into five parts: I. Avant Propos; II. Tables des Articles, par Nom d'Auteur; III. Tables des Articles, par Matières; IV. Table des Ouvrages Analysés; V. Tables des Notes et Nouvelles (pp. vii, 107).

The important work of Léon Lallemand on the *Histoire de la Charité* has now reached t. IV., *Les Temps Modernes du XVI^e au XIX^e Siècle* (Paris, Picard, pp. 624). Tome V. will deal with the nineteenth century.

The *Geschichte der Verehrung Marias* of Stephan Beissel, S.J., has advanced with volume II. through the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries (Freiburg i. B., Herder, 1910, pp. x, 518), and a third volume will cover the rest of the modern period. The work aims to be a contribution alike to religious history and to art and is profusely illustrated.

A recent contribution to the history of the Council of Trent is L. Carcereri's *Il Concilio di Trento, della Traslazione a Bologna alla Sospensione, Marzo-Settembre 1547* (Bologna, Zanichelle, pp. xxxiv, 591).

Cardinal Cristoforo Madruzzo, prince-bishop of Trent from 1539 to 1567, was one of the most conspicuous figures of the Council of Trent and of its period. Professor Andrea Galante in a quarto pamphlet entitled *La Corrispondenza del Card. Cristoforo Madruzzo nell'Archivio di Stato di Innsbruck* (Innsbruck, Wagner, 1911, pp. xii, 35) presents an account of the correspondence, a list of the letters, an index, and a reproduction of Titian's portrait of the bishop, now preserved at Trent.

E. de Bojani, in his *Innocent XI., sa Corresondance avec ses Nonces, 21 Septembre 1676-31 Décembre 1679* (Rome, Desclée, 1910, two volumes, pp. 712, 602), essays to supply an antidote to E. Michaud's *Louis XIV. et Innocent XI.* (Paris, 1882-1883) by full study of the pontiff's dealings with political and ecclesiastical affairs and the government of Rome. Other volumes will follow.

Hefte 1-15 of Band II. of Eduard Fuchs's *Illustrierte Sittengeschichte vom Mittelalter bis zur Gegenwart* have recently been issued (Munich, Alb. Langen). They are devoted mainly to the eighteenth century and bear the title, *Die Galante Zeit*. It is curious that from the press of J.

Hoffmann, Stuttgart, there comes almost simultaneously *Das Galante Europa: Geselligkeit der Grossen Welt, 1600-1789* (1911, pp. xix, 492).

A useful volume has been issued from the press of F. Alcan, Paris (1911, pp. xi, 570), edited by M. Pierre Albin; it is entitled *Les Grands Traités Politiques*, and brings together in a convenient form the chief diplomatic texts since 1815. The material is distributed by countries. Manifestly it is but a collection, but it seems to have been made with good judgment. There is a preface by M. Maurice Herbette.

Swan Sonnenschein and Company, London, announce *Modern Socialism in its Historic Development*, being a translation by M. I. Redmount from the Russian of Dr. M. Tugan-Baranowsky.

Stock, of Paris, has published vol. IV. of James Guillaume's *L'Internationale: Documents et Souvenirs, 1864-1878*. It is the concluding volume and deals with the years 1876-1878. The author apparently has had exceptional opportunities and has brought together a collection of unusual importance.

Professor Karl Grünberg of the University of Vienna has established a new review with the title *Archiv für die Geschichte des Sozialismus und der Arbeiterbewegung*, to be published by Hirschfeld, Leipzig, quarterly, at twelve marks. Professor Grünberg has obtained the aid of a notable group of specialists, including Georges Blondel, Henri Hauser, E. Levasseur, G. Renard, H. Sée, G. Weill, and aims to have all points of view represented. The review will publish documentary material and articles, and some important studies are announced for the immediate future.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: A. C. McGiffert, *Martin Luther and his Work*, II., III., IV. (Century Magazine, January, February, March); K. Schellhass, *Zur Legation des Kardinale Morone, 1576, Moskau, Bayern* (Quellen und Forschungen aus Italienischen Archiven und Bibliotheken, XIII. 2).

GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND

M. Charles Bémont's bibliographical bulletin on publications concerning English history, in the *Revue Historique* for January-February, is general, and covers the period 1909-1910.

The New York Public Library's list of works relating to British genealogy and local history is concluded (part VII.) in the December *Bulletin*.

The Royal Historical Society intends to issue in its Camden Series two volumes of the Register of John of Gaunt, the second volume of Despatches from Paris, 1784-1789, the newly discovered manuscripts of John of Plano Carpini's History of the Mongols and of the Narrative of the French Conquest of the Canaries in 1404-1406, a volume of docu-

ments on the Secret Service under George III., one of Documents from the Archives of the Spanish Inquisition in the Canaries, the Novgorod Chronicle (translated from the Russian), a London chronicle of the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries, Essex Papers of 1675-1677, the Journal of the Lieutenant of the Tower of London, 1722-1746, and Camden Miscellany, vol. XII.

The Graduate Magazine Press, Lawrence, Kansas, issues (1911, pp. 87) *A Syllabus of English Institutional History*, by Clarence C. Crawford, Ph.D., assistant professor of history in the University of Kansas. The syllabus is arranged topically, with unusually full and definite reading lists and references, especially to the sources, and bids fair to be of much more than local utility.

The Oxford University Press announces as in preparation *Federations and Unions within the British Empire*, by Professor Hugh E. Egerton; and *Ireland under the Normans, 1169-1216*, by Goddard H. Orpen.

Rev. Dr. Charles J. Cox, after thoroughgoing researches in the original sources of information, has produced an attractive and substantial book on *The Sanctuaries and Sanctuary Seekers of Mediaeval England* (London, George Allen).

Portfolios IV. and V. of *Longmans' Historical Illustrations* relate to the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries, and admirably illustrate architecture, costume, ships, street scenes, and the like, by drawings from contemporary and authentic examples.

Longmans, London, have published *Visitation Articles and Injunctions of the Period of the Reformation*, in three volumes, edited by Walter Howard Frere, D.D., in the *Alcuin Club Collections*. Vol. I. is devoted to historical introduction, appendixes, and index.

Chapman and Hall, London, have published *Letters of the English Seamen, 1587-1808*, edited by E. Hallam Moorhouse. This is compiled largely from the publications of the Navy Records Society.

The edition of the *Works* of Jonathan Swift in publication by Bell, London, is now being completed by the issuing of his *Correspondence*, vol. I. having recently appeared under the editorship of F. Elrington Ball, with an introduction by J. H. Barnard, D.D., present Dean of St. Patrick's. There are numerous other editions of Swift's letters (notably that of Sir Walter Scott), but this one promises to be definitive, the needed annotation being for the first time adequately supplied. Mr. Ball's fitness for this difficult task had been proven in his *History of the County of Dublin*. The present volume comes to 1712 and is mainly of political interest.

There has appeared Band II. of Wilhelm Begemann's *Vorgeschichte und Anfänge der Freimaurerei in England*, dealing with the "Gründung

und Weiterentwicklung der Londoner Grossloge, die Ancient Masons und die Vereinigung der beiden Grosslogen" (Berlin, Mittler, 1910, pp. xii, 537). The book deals particularly with the period between the appearance of the Constitution-book of 1723 and the union of the Lodges in 1813.

John Lane announces *The Nelsons of Burnham Thorpe: a Record of a Norfolk Family compiled from the Unpublished Letters and Note-books, 1787-1843*, by M. Eyre Matcham. This is the family of Lord Nelson, the material being the journals and letters of his father and sister

The publication of the *Dickson Manuscripts* (Royal Artillery Institution Printing House) has now reached ch. vi. of Series C, under the editorship of Major J. H. Leslie. The manuscripts include the diaries letters, maps, and other papers of Major-General Sir Alexander Dickson, G.C.B., one of the chief lieutenants of Wellington in the Peninsular War, bequeathed by his son to the Royal Artillery. Series C covers the period 1809-1818, and ch. vi. comes to the battle of Vittoria. The material is of great extent and of great military interest. In this connection might also be noticed the announcement by Longmans of a second installment of *The Spanish Journal of Elizabeth Lady Holland, 1803-1805 and 1808-1809*, edited by the Earl of Ilchester. This second part is of considerable interest for military events; particularly through Lady Holland's attack on Sir John Moore.

Smith, Elder, and Company, London, have published *John Bright: a Monograph*, by R. Barry O'Brien, with a preface by the Right Hon. Augustine Birrell. Mr. O'Brien is the biographer of Parnell and Lord Russell of Killowen, and the term "monograph" is intended to signify that the author, a Roman Catholic Nationalist, does not attempt an elaborate biography.

John Murray published in January, in two volumes, *The Life of Sir William Russell*, compiled by J. B. Collins from previously unused private documentary material.

Two additional studies of Cecil Rhodes have recently appeared: *The Life of the Right Hon. Cecil Rhodes, 1853-1902*, by the Hon. Sir Lewis Mitchell (two vols., London, Arnold), and *Cecil Rhodes, his Private Life*, by his private secretary Philip Jourdan (London, John Lane). Sir Lewis Mitchell was for a long time a leading South African banker and politician who became a member of the Executive Council of Cape Colony and is now one of the trustees of the Rhodes will. Mr. Jourdan was Rhodes's secretary during the last six years of the latter's life; one of the unexpected disclosures here made is that Rhodes was physically a very timid man.

Methuen, London, has published *Old Kew, Chiswick, and Kensington*, by Lloyd Sanders, and the volume might perhaps be compared with the excellent studies of outlying parts of Paris now in publication. Mr.

Sanders's book is in the main the result of fresh study of parish and similar records. Routledge and Sons, London, have issued recently *Relics and Memorials of London Town* by James S. Ogilvy, who had previously prepared a similar book on *London City*. His aim is particularly to bring together with helpful explanations colored plates of historic buildings.

The Guild of Graduates of the University of Wales has undertaken the publication of a number of texts, beginning with a fifteenth-century manuscript on Welsh laws and pleadings, edited by Timothy Lewis, the publication being aided by the university and the Welsh National Library.

James MacLehose and Sons, Glasgow, have published *The Norse Influence on Celtic Scotland*, by George Henderson, lecturer on Celtic in the University of Glasgow.

Messrs. MacLehose have also published *Annals of the Reigns of Malcolm and William, Kings of Scotland, 1153-1214*, by Sir Archibald Campbell Lawrie. This house has also published *Early Scottish Charters prior to A. D. 1153*, under the same editorship; *The Medieval Church in Scotland, its Constitution, Organization and Law*, being the Rhind Lectures, by the late Dr. John Dowden, bishop of Edinburgh; and Sir Herbert Maxwell's *The Making of Scotland*, lectures on the Scottish War of Independence.

A full and relatively impartial narrative based on trustworthy material, for the most part secondary, seems to be furnished in the Rev. E. A. D'Alton's *History of Ireland*, of which a third edition in six volumes is issued by the Gresham Publishing Company.

British government publications: *Calendar of Inquisitions post Mortem*, vol. VI., Edward II.; *Calendar of the Close Rolls*, Edward III., vol. XII., 1364-1368; *Calendar of the Patent Rolls*, Henry VI., vol. VI., 1452-1461; *Historical Manuscripts of the Marquess of Salisbury*, XII., last fifteen months of Elizabeth [Historical Manuscripts Commission]; *Papers of the Marquess of Ormonde*, VI. [*id.*].

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: G. Constant, *La Transformation du Culte Anglican sous Édouard VI.*, I. *Tendances Luthériennes* (Revue d'Histoire Ecclésiastique, January); R. G. Marsden, *Early Prize Jurisdiction and Prize Law in England*, III. (English Historical Review, January); H. D. Hazeltine, *Selden as Legal Historian* (Harvard Law Review, December, January); H. W. V. Temperley, *Chatham and his latest Biographer* (Contemporary Review, February); Lewis Melville, *William Cobbett and Queen Caroline: an unpublished Correspondence* (Nineteenth Century, February).

FRANCE

Two new periodicals have been recently added to the list of French publications devoted in whole or in part to historical studies. These

are a *Revue de Bourgogne*, published at Dijon, and a journal entitled *Athéna: Revue publiée par l'École des Hautes Études Sociales*. There has also been started a new review of ecclesiastical history under the title *Documents d'Histoire*, edited by Abbé Eugène Griselle; this is devoted to the seventeenth, eighteenth, and nineteenth centuries, will appear quarterly, and will have the object only of publishing new documents, in whole and without notes, under the divisions Histoire générale, Protestantisme, Jansénisme, Quiétisme, Prédication. M. Griselle has also assumed the editorship of a *Revue Fénelon* of which the first number was issued in June, 1910; this publication is in connection with the approaching bicentenary of the archbishop's death (1915) and with a new edition of Fénelon's works; it will be published for several years.

Considerable additions have been made in 1910 to the inventories of documents in the departmental archives, especially in the material posterior to 1800. It is not surprising that five of the new inventories deal with the material classified under *Cultes*.

The Bibliothèque Nationale, in addition to the author series of its *Catalogue Générale des Livres Imprimés* (of which volume 45 brings us almost through D), is preparing special series. Under this head comes t. I. of a *Catalogue des Actes Royales*, published in 1910 and edited by M. Albert Isnard. More than 5600 *actes* or groups of *actes* are classified, from Dagobert I. to the death of Henry IV.; the library is particularly rich in *actes* of the sixteenth century. The management has recently revised the collection of books of reference in the general reading-room, and a catalogue of the collection was also published in 1910 (pp. xx, 316).

Some important additions have recently been made to the publications of the Société d'Histoire Contemporaine. Volume 46 is the second volume of Count Adolphe de Circourt's *Souvenirs d'une Mission à Berlin en 1848*, edited by G. Bourgin, rich in information upon important events; these reminiscences are of high value for the attitude of the Prussian administration toward the revolutionary progress. Vol. 47 is t. III. of the *Correspondance du Duc d'Enghien, 1801-1804*, edited by Count Boulay de la Meurthe; the work includes much more than the correspondence indicated. Vol. 48 is t. IV. of the *Correspondance du Comte de La Forest, Ambassadeur de France en Espagne, 1808-1813*, edited by G. de Grandmaison; the volume covers July, 1810-March, 1811. Vol. 49, edited by MM. Paul Usteri and Eugène Ritter, is a new edition of Henri Meister's *Souvenirs de mon dernier Voyage à Paris* (now rare), a record of a visit in 1795 (Paris, Picard, 1910, pp. 256). Notes as to visits in 1801 and 1804 and some recollections are added. Henri Meister was an observer of unusual quality; he had been from 1773 the collaborator of Grimm in the *Correspondance Littéraire*. The same editors in 1903 published the *Lettres inédites de Mme. de Staël à Meister*.

In the *Mémoires* of the Catholic faculties of Lille, fasc. VI. is the first volume of an important and valuable *Histoire de la Propriété Ecclésiastique en France* (Paris, Champion, 1910, pp. 496), by Professor E. Lesne. This first volume relates to the Roman and Merovingian periods, and has been followed (as fasc. VII.) by a briefer and more special monograph by the same writer on *L'Origine des Menses dans le Temporel des Églises et des Monastères de France au IX^e Siècle* (1911, pp. 165).

Scribners have published *Henri II.: his Court and Times*, by H. Noel Williams, and *Louis XIV. and Mme. de Maintenon*, by Charlotte Lady Blennerhassett.

The Sturgis and Walton Company have added to their Court Series of French memoirs a translation of the *Secret Memoirs of the Regency* by Duclos.

M. André Lesort in his last *Rapport sur les Archives Départementales, Communales et Hospitalières du Département d'Ille-et-Vilaine*, describes the recent acquisition, through some anciently established houses of commerce at St. Malo, of 26 registers containing detailed and important information as to foreign and colonial trade in the eighteenth century, especially with the Indies, as also on the matter of late eighteenth century speculation in grain in France.

A series of studies on Voltaire by the late Ferdinand Brunetière were published in the *Revue des Deux Mondes* toward the end of 1910. The papers were prepared by Brunetière in 1886-1888 for an edition of the poet designed to appear in the Hachette collection of *Grands Écrivains Français*; having completed and sent to the printer three chapters of his study he was then called off by other work and never resumed the task. His literary executors have now published these chapters in part from the manuscript and in part from the uncorrected proofs made by Hachette in 1888. The studies bring the life of Voltaire down to 1754 and represent about half the work planned by the author.

The somewhat neglected field of Old Régime institutional history will soon be made more easy of cultivation through the publication of a projected *Collection de Textes sur l'Histoire des Institutions et des Services Publics de la France Moderne et Contemporaine* of which M. Camille Bloch, inspector-general of libraries and archives, has assumed the editorship (Paris, E. Cornély). In this series has already appeared M. Marcel Marion's *Les Impôts Directs sous l'Ancien Régime et principalement au XVIII^e Siècle*, and there are announced for early publication: *Le Gouvernement Révolutionnaire*, by M. Mautouchet; *Le Recrutement de l'Armée pendant la Révolution et l'Empire*, by P. Caron; *Le Crédit aux XVII^e et XVIII^e Siècles*, by G. Martin; *L'Administration Provinciale au XVIII^e Siècle*, by C. Bloch; *Les Impôts Indirects sous l'Ancien Régime principalement au XVIII^e Siècle*, by G. Besnier;

L'Administration Municipale sous l'Ancien Régime, principalement au XVIII^e Siècle, by F. Mourlot; and *Les Impôts Directs depuis 1789*, by E. Allix. It is the object of the series to group the essential documents in small compass and to provide historical annotation; there will be general historical introductions and bibliographies. Attention may also be called, in the same connection, to E. Tarle's *L'Industrie dans les Campagnes de France à la Fin de l'Ancien Régime* (Paris, Cornély, 1910, pp. 87).

The Société d'Histoire Moderne has begun the publication of a series of "instruments de travail", and has published in it a brief résumé entitled, *Les Ministères Français, 1789-1909* (Paris, E. Cornély, 1910, pp. 58). The lists are accompanied by introductions giving résumés of the departmental histories, and it is evident will be of considerable utility, providing as it does much fuller and more trustworthy information than has hitherto been accessible in the lists of the *Annuaire de la Société de l'Histoire de France* or in the work published in 1890 by L. Muel. The society purposes publishing shortly a similar *Liste des Intendants*.

The Commission de l'Histoire Économique de la Révolution announces that six new volumes are in its hands for publication and that six others will be ready in 1911. The new associated Commission de l'Histoire Économique des Pays séparés de la France has had its field extended to include the old colonies still possessed by France and is still at work on a preliminary investigation of its field. A project as to publication in regard to paper money is under consideration by the main commission. In connection with the work to be done on the colonies it is to be remarked that the commission has recommended to the government to transfer colonial material for the period 1789-1815 from the Archives of the Ministry of the Colonies to the National Archives (where most colonial documents anterior to 1789 are, or soon will be, deposited).

In 1908 the Conseil Supérieur of French ecclesiastics founded at the Institut Catholique de Paris a course on the history of the Revolution, in charge of Professor Gustave Gautherot. This presentation of the period from the point of view of the Church has now been in progress for three years, and for 1911 it is proposed to extend its scope by offering to subscribers the lectures in a printed form. Professor Gautherot has just published (St. Dizier, M. Thevonot) a *Histoire de la Révolution Française dans l'Ancien Évêché de Bâle*, in two volumes.

H. Fleischmann, Paris, has begun the publication of a monthly *Revue des Curiosités Révolutionnaires*; he proclaims as his object the bridging of the gap between the reviews devoted to special fields and neglected by the public, and those of too flimsy a nature. The new publication will aim "à intéresser le lecteur et à lui éviter un ennui prodigué par tant de revues d'histoire quasi-officielle" and will be addressed particularly "aux amateurs de trouvailles, d'autographes, d'anecdotes ignorées, à tous les curieux des dessous de l'histoire révolutionnaire, des coulisses de la crise ouverte en 1789 et fermée en 1815".

A curious Revolutionary episode is the subject of Joseph Durieux's *Les Vainqueurs de la Bastille* (Paris, H. Champion, 1910, pp. 302). In 1790 the Commune of Paris appointed a commission to draw up a statement of the names and conditions of participants in the great action. The list drawn up contains 954 names, most of them names of workmen resident in the Faubourg St. Antoine. On June 19, 1790, the National Assembly accorded to these "héros" "brevets honorables", reciting a right to a special dress at the public expense with distinctive marks and to the bearing of the title "Vainqueur de la Bastille". There was however considerable opposition (voiced particularly by Marat) to this authorizing of distinctions, and before the end of the year the municipality of Paris had forbidden the Society of the Vainqueurs to meet. The organization however was maintained, and when the Napoleonic Legion of Honor was established it became active during several years in demanding admittance—demands to which Napoleon turned a deaf ear. Nothing more is heard apparently from the Vainqueurs till the beginning of the reign of Louis Philippe, when pensions of 250 fr. (equal to that accorded to chevaliers of the Legion of Honor) were granted to ninety-nine Vainqueurs (presumably all the survivors in honorable standing). The present publication aims to establish the list of the original Vainqueurs with biographical notes, and the work seems carefully done.

The fourth and last volume of the *Procès-Verbaux des Comités d'Agriculture et de Commerce de la Constituante, de la Législative, et de la Convention*, edited with notes by MM. Fernand Gerbaux and Charles Schmidt, has appeared. There will be published later a full index of this important collection.

An English version has appeared of the memoirs of Mgr. de Salamon, papal internuncio resident at Paris 1790-1801, under the title *A Papal Envoy during the Reign of Terror*. These memoirs, edited by the Abbé Bridier, were first published in 1890, and are now translated by Francis Jackson; the English edition includes some additional material published in 1898, being the secret correspondence of the Abbé de Salamon and Cardinal Zelada (London, Sands, 1910, pp. xlv, 247).

Grant Richards, Ltd., London, announce *The Last Episode of the French Revolution*, by Ernest Belford Bax. The book deals with the history of Gracchus Babeuf and the Conspiracy of the Equals.

Cassell and Company, London, announce *Napoleon in his Own Defence*, by Clement K. Shorter, being "A Reprint of certain Letters written by Napoleon from St. Helena to Lady Clavering and a Reply by Theodore Hook. With which are incorporated Notes and an Essay on Napoleon as a Man of Letters by the Author." John Murray announces *The Growth of Napoleon: a Study in Environment*, by Norwood Young.

An interesting recent contribution to the military history of Napoleon is H. Giehrl's *Der Feldherr Napoleon als Organisator: Betracht-*

ungen über seine Verkehr- und Nachrichtenmittel, seine Arbeits- und Befehlsweise (Berlin, Mittler, 1910, pp. 181).

John Lane, London, announces a translation by J. Lewis May of the recent publication of Albert Espitalier, under the title *Napoleon and King Murat, 1808-1815: a Biography compiled from hitherto unknown and unpublished Documents*.

E. Driault contributes to the *Revue Historique* a bibliographical review of publications 1909-1910 on contemporary French history.

The Librairie H. Champion, of Paris, has begun the publication of the *Correspondance de Chateaubriand*, edited by Professor L. Thomas, who has been occupied with preliminary labors for several years. As the publisher remarks it is somewhat surprising that this correspondence has lain unpublished so long. He requests the co-operation of all possessors of letters. The edition will comprise five volumes and will be limited and numbered; two volumes will appear yearly. In the *Quarterly Review* for January will be found an article by P. F. Willert entitled, "Chateaubriand on his own Life".

Plon-Nourrit, Paris, have published vol. II. of the *Correspondance* of the Duc d'Aumale and Cuvillier-Fleury, covering 1849-1859, edited by René Veltery-Radot (pp. xx, 547).

John Lane, London, has announced an English version by Bryan O'Donnell of a work by Frederic Loliée, under the title *Le Duc de Morny, the Brother of an Emperor and the Maker of an Empire*. The book is asserted to be based on family papers.

The papers of M. Émile Ollivier on "La Guerre de 1870" in the *Revue des Deux Mondes* for December and January are of unusual interest and have already occasioned renewed and violent discussion within and without France.

The firm of Honoré Champion has published in two volumes an excellent *Histoire des Corporations d'Arts et Métiers des Ville et Comté de Montbéliard et des Seigneuries en dépendant* (1910, pp. 510, 276), by MM. Léon Nardin and Julien Mauveaux, the first volume occupied with the general history of the guilds and that of each company in particular, the second with the texts of their rules, statutes, and ordinances.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: G. Fagniez, *La Femme et la Société Française depuis la Première Moitié du XVII^e Siècle: Le Mariage* (*Revue des Deux Mondes*, January 1); P. Caron, *De l'Étude du Gouvernement Révolutionnaire* (*Revue de Synthèse Historique*, October); A. Lajusan, *Le Plébiscite de l'An III* (*La Révolution Française*, January 14); A. Aulard, *L'Université Impériale: Le Grand-Maitre, L'Administration Centrale* (*ibid.*, LIX.); D. Pasquet, *Comment la France a perdu l'Égypte, d'après les Mémoires de Lord Cromer* (*Revue Historique*, January-February); Marquis de Ségur, *Albert Vandal* (*Revue des Deux Mondes*, November 15).

ITALY AND SPAIN

In her brief *Markgraf Hubert Pallavicini* (Leipzig, Quelle and Meyer, 1910), Dr. Zippora Schiffer presents the first biography of this prominent North Italian *signore* of the later thirteenth century. His relations with the Hohenstaufens are emphasized.

Professor Walter Goetz's *König Robert von Neapel (1309-1343), seine Persönlichkeit und sein Verhältnis zum Humanismus* (Tübingen, Mohr, 1910), is short but of deep interest as the title suggests. An appendix lists King Robert's 289 extant sermons and quotes one of them.

Scribners have published *The Romance of a Medici Warrior*, by Christopher Hare; the book recounts the exploits of Giovanni delle Bande Nere and of his son Cosimo I., grand duke of Tuscany. Attention should be drawn also to Colonel G. F. Young's *The Medici* (Murray, two vols.), as having reached a second edition.

Band XIII. of the Görres-Gesellschaft's *Quellen und Forschungen auf dem Gebiete der Geschichte is Reformation und Inquisition in Italien um die Mitte des XVI. Jahrhunderts*, by Gottfried Buschbell (Paderborn, F. Schöningh, 1910, pp. xxiii, 344). This is perhaps the first thorough investigation of the Italian inquisition; the author has worked with new material, a considerable section of which is printed in the 97 Beilagen.

Volume III. of the *Biblioteca di Storia Italiana Recente, 1800-1870*, has appeared (Turin, Fratelli Bocca, 1910, pp. 367); it is almost wholly devoted to a publication by Baron A. Manno, entitled *L'Opinione Religiosa e Conservatrice in Italia, 1830-1850, ricercata nelle Corrispondenze e Confidenze di Monsignor Giovanni Corboli Bussi*. Corboli Bussi died in 1850 at the age of thirty-seven, but had already enjoyed the confidence of two popes, especially that of Pius IX.; the correspondence here published is deposited in a private collection in Cremona.

Félix Alcan, of Paris, has published in his *Bibliothèque d'Histoire Contemporaine* a volume by Maurice Pernot, *La Politique de Pie X., 1906-1910*; it is a collection of reports to the *Journal des Débats* from its Roman correspondent, who happens to be a man of singular knowledge and discernment.

In June, 1910, the Spanish government created at Rome a Spanish School of History and Archaeology.

Professor Don Rafael Altamira of Oviedo, now inspector-general of education at Madrid, has published the fourth volume of his standard *Historia de España y de la Civilización Española* (Barcelona, Gili), dealing with the eighteenth century and the early part of the nineteenth, to the War for Independence. The volume concludes with a bibliographical index of sources from the earliest period to 1800.

The *Boletín de la Real Academia de la Historia* for July–September, 1910, contains the report of the committee appointed to award the prize offered by the Baron de Santa Cruz for the best *Historia Política, Diplomática y Militar de Alfonso XI.*; the award was made to Don Antonio Ballesteros y Beretta. The prize (3000 pesetas) has again been offered for 1913, to the best historical monograph on the reign of Carlos II.

There has appeared t. I. of *Publicaciones del Congreso Histórico Internacional de la Guerra de la Independencia y su Época (1801–1815)* (Saragossa, E. Casanal, 1909, pp. 260). This congress was held at Saragossa in October, 1908, and the volume contains papers presented to it. Various other publications suggested by this anniversary and relating especially to the siege of Saragossa have appeared recently in Spain.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: L. Romier, *Les Institutions Françaises en Piémont sous Henri II.* (*Revue Historique*, January–February); P. Ronzy, *Un Siècle d'Influence Française en Italie (1650–1750) à propos d'un Ouvrage récent* (*Revue de Synthèse Historique*, October).

GERMANY, AUSTRIA, AND SWITZERLAND

The *Zeitschrift der Savigny-Stiftung für Rechtsgeschichte* has announced the adding of a new department under the name “kanonistische” devoted to the general history of ecclesiastical law and placed under the editorship of Professor Ulrich Stutz of Bonn and Professor A. Werminghoff of Königsberg, the former to deal with texts, the latter with the literature.

The Prussian Institute in Rome will publish this year a volume of the *Repertorium Germanicum* for the reign of the Avignon pope Clement VII., edited by Mr. Emil Goeller. Besides vol. I. of Professor A. O. Meyer's *England und die Katholische Kirche unter Elisabeth und den Stuarts* (Rome, Loescher, 1910, pp. xxvii, 489), which ranks as vol. VI. in the *Bibliothek*, we should count as a product of the Institute Dr. Philipp Hiltebrandt's *Preussen und die Römische Kirche*, of which the first volume, 1625–1740, has lately been brought out in Berlin (Bath, 1910, pp. xiv, 442). Two additional volumes are in preparation, the first dealing with the *Kirchenpolitik* of Frederic the Great, the other with that of Frederic William II. and III.

The Fulda Geschichtsverein has published a thorough study of *Das Zunftwesen der Stadt Fulda von seinen Anfängen bis zur Mitte des 17. Jahrhunderts*, by Dr. Josef Hohmann (Fuldaer Aktiendruckerei, 1910, pp. iv, 130).

The controversy as to the editing of the *Jahrbücher der Deutschen Könige* begun by the strictures of B. Schmeidler on the recent addition to the series by H. Simonsfeld (see our notes of last October, p. 199) is continued sharply by Schmeidler and Simonsfeld in the latest issue

of the *Historische Vierteljahrschrift*. The latter contends that he had been faithful to the principles of the series as laid down by the Historical Commission on the basis of the declaration by Ranke reiterated by Sybel, and the former replies that the expressions of Ranke and Sybel do not warrant the methods censured. The contention of Schmeidler that the providing of the material in this form cannot be regarded as absolving the investigator from direct consultation of the originals seems to be both pertinent and unanswerable.

The Houghton Mifflin Company are about to publish *The Life and Letters of Martin Luther*, by Dr. Preserved Smith.

Heft LXXXVII. of the *Historische Studien* of E. Ebering is *Die Hofordnung Kurfürst Joachims II. von Brandenburg, neu hrsg. und durch Untersuchungen über Hofhalt und Verwaltung unter Joachim II. erläutert* von Martin Hass. This *Hofordnung* has already been published twice, but very unsatisfactorily; as now edited it adds very materially to our knowledge of the Brandenburg central administration of the period.

The Caxton Club of Chicago has issued for its members, in the sumptuous form usual with its publications, *The Frankfort Book Fair*, being the *Francofordiense Emporium sive Francofordienses Nundinae* of Henri Estienne, a rare book printed in 1574, and here presented with the original Latin text and English translation on opposite pages, with an elaborate introduction and notes by Professor James Westfall Thompson of the University of Chicago (pp. xviii, 204). In view of the special value of the book to public libraries, the council of the Caxton Club has, by an exceptional vote, empowered its secretary to dispose of copies to such libraries or institutions as may make application, on the same terms as to its members.

Dr. J. Schmidlin has completed his presentation of *Die Kirchlichen Zustände in Deutschland vor dem Dreissigjährigen Kriege*, on the basis of the episcopal reports to the papacy, with the publication of part III. (Freiburg i. B., Herder, 1910).

The suspended publication of the *Briefe und Akten zur Geschichte des Dreissigjährigen Krieges* has been recently resumed with the issue of Bde. VIII. and XI., the former, edited by Karl Mayr, dealing with the last ten months of 1610 (and completing the publication of the material collected by Felix Stieve), and with 1611-1613, the latter, edited by A. Chroust, dealing with the Regensburger Reichstag of 1613. With this volume the latter editor ends his connection with the undertaking (Munich, Rieger, pp. vii, 800, xxxiv; xxv, 1108).

Dr. Viktor Loewe of Breslau publishes in the *Mittheilungen des Vereins für die Geschichte der Deutschen in Böhmen*, XLIX. 1, pp. 29-64, a fifth supplement to his bibliography of Wallenstein literature. The last supplement was issued in 1900. In the following issue of this

journal Dr. Karl Siegel has a new study on Wallenstein, "Wallenstein auf der Hohen Schul zu Altdorf".

Band II. of August Hartmann's *Historische Volkslieder und Zeitgedichte vom 16. bis zur 19. Jahrhundert*, of which Band I. appeared in 1907, covers the period from the middle of the seventeenth to the middle of the eighteenth century (Munich, C. H. Beck, 1910, pp. iv, 355). The volume contains 181 numbers, given with the melodies, the latter being edited by Hyacinth Abele.

There may be included in the product of the recent centenary celebration in Berlin a book by Professor von Scharfenot, *Die Königlich Preussische Kriegsakademie, in dienstlichem Auftrage aus amtlichen Quellen dargestellt* (Berlin, Mittler, 1910, pp. vi, 397). The Kriegsakademie was, like the University of Berlin, a creation of the period of regeneration, being founded by Scharnhorst in 1810. It was planned to provide for a three years' course for officers; the original entry number of 50 has now risen to 160 and the institution has developed from a purely professional one into a general scientific Hochschule.

Heft 20 of Brandenburg, Seeliger, and Wilcken's *Leipziger Historische Abhandlungen* (Leipzig, Quelle and Meyer) is *Bunsen und die Deutsche Einheitsbewegung*, by Walther Ulbricht. The study is based on the family archives, and the author aims to show the injustice of the presentation of Bunsen in Treitschke's *Geschichte des Neunzehnten Jahrhunderts*. The period covered is 1813-1860.

Professor W. Busch has prepared a fourth edition of W. Maurenbrecher's *Gründung des Deutschen Reiches, 1859-1871*, aiming to incorporate the results of investigation since the issue of the third edition, also supervised by Professor Busch (Leipzig, C. E. Pfeffer, pp. ix, 272).

In the *Archiv für Kulturgeschichte*, VIII. 3, Professor Dr. G. v. Below and Dr. Marie Schulz begin the publication of "Briefe von K. v. Nitzsch an W. Maurenbrecher, 1861-1880", the first installment coming to March, 1876. The correspondence is of much interest with respect to the development of historical study in Germany and with regard to politics. Nitzsch, professor first at Königsberg and later in Berlin, was at one time associated with Maurenbrecher in a plan for the publication of an extensive history of Germany in monographs, a plan which was the forerunner of the *Bibliothek Deutscher Geschichte* of Zwiedineck-Südenhorst. Politically Nitzsch and Maurenbrecher were associated with such men as Treitschke and Duncker in strong support of the Bismarck policy, though Nitzsch was not so much an admirer of Bismarck as an opponent of the Fortschrittspartei. The letters of Maurenbrecher to Nitzsch have not been preserved.

The important studies by M. Georges Goyau on "Bismarck et l'Épiscopat" in the *Revue des Deux Mondes*, designed to cover the period 1873-1878, have now come to 1874.

The twenty-ninth annual meeting of the Baden Historical Commission was held October 21-22. It is announced that the commission will publish in 1911 Band III. of the *Regesten der Bischöfe von Konstanz*; the first part of Band II. of *Regesten der Pfalzgrafen am Rhein*, edited by Dr. Graf v. Oberndorff and covering 1410-1412; the last section of the *Historische Grundkarten des Grossherzogthums Baden* (Pforzheim, edited by Oberregierungsrat Dr. Lange); the fourth and fifth Hefte of Band III. of the *Oberbadisches Geschlechterbuch*, edited by Freiherr von Stotzingen; Heft 1 of Dr. Cahn's *Münz- und Geldgeschichte der im Grossherzogtum Baden vereinigten Gebiete*; Dr. Geier's *Register zum Ueberlinger Stadtrecht*; and a *Neujahrsblatt* containing a study by Joseph Sauer on "Die Anfänge des Christentums und der Kirche in Baden".

The Commission for the Modern History of Austria held its annual meeting October 21, 1910, and announced as to be issued in 1911 a volume of *Oesterreichisch-Siebenbürgische Staatsverträge*, edited by R. Gooss, Band I. of the *Konventionen Oesterreichs und der Vereinigten Niederlande*, edited by H. v. Srbik, and Band I. of the *Korrespondenz Ferdinands I.*, edited by W. Bauer.

A critical article of unusual interest is published by Dr. Ludwig Spiegel in Bd. IV., Heft 1, of the *Zeitschrift für Politik*, under the title "Zur Geschichte der Politischen Literatur Oesterreichs". The author, proceeding from the assertion "dass die politische Literatur Oesterreichs in den vierziger und fünfziger Jahren des 19. Jahrhunderts ihren Höhepunkt erreicht hat" devotes his study to "Die Broschürenschmiede von 1847 und ihre Gegner" and to "Die Genesis-Literatur".

The city of Geneva has begun the publication of a new series of documents from its archives with the title *La Municipalité de Genève pendant la Domination Française: Extraits de ses Registres et de sa Correspondance, 1798-1815*; t. I. was published in 1910 under the editorship of Édouard Chapuisat (Geneva, Kündig; Paris, Champion, pp. clxiv, 355). The editor is known in this field by his *La Commerce et l'Industrie à Genève pendant la Domination Française*.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: F. Kern, *Die Reichsgewalt der Deutschen Könige nach dem Interregnum: Zeitgenössische Theorien* (Historische Zeitschrift, CVI. 1); D. Brader, *Die Entwicklung des Geschichtsunterrichts an den Jesuitenschulen Deutschlands und Oesterreichs (1540-1774)* (Historisches Jahrbuch, XXXI.); J. Blociszewski, *L'Annexion de la Bosnie et de l'Herzégovine: Étude Historique et Juridique* (Revue Générale de Droit International Public, September-October).

NETHERLANDS AND BELGIUM

The Dutch Historical Commission has published the third volume of the *Acta der Particuliere Synoden van Zuid-Holland (1646-1656)*, pp.

585), edited by Dr. W. P. C. Knuttel, and the fifth of Dr. H. T. Colenbrander's *Gedenkstukken der Algemeene Geschiedenis van Nederland van 1795 tot 1840* (The Hague, Nijhoff, 1910, pp. lxi, 841), containing some 611 documents, from a wide variety of sources, for the period of Louis Bonaparte.

The Belgian Commission Royale d'Histoire has resolved upon the preparation and ultimate publication of a formidable series of catalogues of *actes*, embracing those of the kings and dukes of Lotharingia, of the dukes of Brabant, counts of Flanders, Hainaut, and Namur, counts and dukes of Luxemburg, prince-bishops of Liège, bishops of Cambrai, Tournai, and Théroutanne, and princes of the house of Burgundy from Philip the Good to Charles V.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: G. des Marez, *L'Apprentissage à Ypres à la Fin du XIII^e Siècle* (Revue du Nord, February).

NORTHERN AND EASTERN EUROPE

Drs. A. Krarup and J. Lindbaek have brought out the fourth volume of *Acta Pontificum Danica* (Copenhagen, G. E. C. Gad, 1910), presenting a considerable mass of documents, chiefly from the Vatican archives, for the Danish dioceses in the pontificates of Sixtus IV. and Innocent VIII., 1471-1492.

A. Lahure, Paris, has published (1911) the ninth and tenth volumes of the *Lettres et Papiers du Chancelier Comte de Nesselrode*, the material covering 1847-1853.

Father Michel Tamarati's *L'Église Géorgienne des Origines jusqu'à nos Jours* (Rome, Soc. Tip.-ed. Romana, 1910, pp. xv, 710), the first adequate work on the subject, is illustrated with maps, portraits, and many documents hitherto unpublished.

A. Picard, Paris, announces in his *Collection de Manuels d'Archéologie et d'Histoire de l'Art*, in the section on Mussulman art, a volume on Mussulman architecture by H. Saladin and one by Gaston Migeon on *Les Arts Plastiques et Industriels*. To the same collection Professor Ch. Diehl of the University of Paris contributes a *Manuel d'Art Byzantin* (pp. xi, 837; 420 figures).

An important contribution to the history of the Eastern Question has been published by Plon, Paris, being *Le Bosphore et les Dardanelles: Étude Historique sur la Question des Détroits, d'après la Correspondance Diplomatique déposé aux Archives Centrales de Saint-Petersbourg et à celles de l'Empire*, by Serge Goriainov (1910, pp. xxiii, 392). It is a treatment prepared wholly from the Russian material and apparently contains considerable additions to our knowledge of the crises of 1840-1841 and 1870-1871.

The *Archiv für Slavische Philologie*, XXXII. 1, 2, pp. 89-227, contains an historical contribution of much interest by Stojan Novakovic,

entitled "La Serbie Régénérée et ses Historiens". It is apropos of the posthumous publication in 1910 of B. de Kallay's *Geschichte des Serbischen Aufstandes, 1807-1810*.

Bloud, Paris, has published *Les Commencements de l'Indépendance Bulgare et le Prince Alexandre: Souvenirs d'un Français de Sofia*, by E. Queille, with a preface by E. Lamy of the Academy. This is composed mainly of the diary of M. Queille during his residence in Sofia, 1883-1884, which had already been published in the *Correspondant*; it is prefaced by a sketch of Bulgarian history from 1878. M. Queille was in intimate association with King Ferdinand and high officials of the state, and was a keen observer; there is a good deal of interest on the matter of Russian intrigue.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: L. Bril, *Les Premiers Temps du Christianisme en Suède*, I. (Revue d'Histoire Ecclésiastique, January); Pierre Rain, *Un Tsar Idéologue: La Formation de l'Esprit d'Alexandre I., de Laharpe à la Mort de Paul I.* (Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique, XXV. 1); M. A. Andreades, *L'Administration Financière de la Grèce sous la Domination Turque* (Revue des Études Grecques, March-June, 1910).

THE FAR EAST AND INDIA

Messrs. Methuen of London have published *Vasco da Gama and his Successors, 1460-1580*, by K. G. Jayne.

The series *The Sacred Books of the East* (Clarendon Press), containing 49 volumes, has been completed by *A General Index to the Names and Subject Matter of the Sacred Books of the East*, compiled by Professor M. Winternitz, who has been engaged in the task since 1894. He has aimed to produce such an analytical index as would be "a scientific classification of religious phenomena".

Ullstein and Company, Berlin, publish a *Geschichte des Orients* by R. Stube, C. Bezold, C. Brockelmann, A. Conrady, and O. Nachod, as part of the *Weltgeschichte* edited by J. v. Pflugk-Harttung (1910, pp. 13, 652).

Longmans, Green, and Company announce *The International Relations of the Chinese Empire: the Period of Conflict, 1834-1860*, by Hosea Ballou Morse, Chinese commissioner of customs, with illustrations, maps, and diagrams. Mr. Morse is author of *Trade and Administration of the Chinese Empire*, published in 1908.

There has been published in London (Luzac and Company), and Leyden (Brill), as vol. XII. of the E. J. W. Gibb Memorial Series a volume by E. Blochet entitled *Introduction à l'Histoire des Mongols de Fadl Allah Rashid ed-Din* (1910, pp. 398). This important work has hitherto been known in the West only in fragments and M. Blochet has now entered upon a complete edition. He shows in the present introductory volume that the whole Persian literature as to the Mongols rests

on the work of Rashid ed-Din, and discusses the conditions of the available manuscripts.

The *Archiv für Religionswissenschaft*, XIII. 4, contains an extended bibliographical review by H. Oldenberg, under the title "Der Indische Buddhismus, 1907-1910".

Messrs. MacLehose will publish shortly in their series of seventeenth-century books of travel a new edition of *An Historical Relation of the Island of Ceylon by Robert Knox, a Captive there for Twenty Years*. This edition will contain the recently discovered autobiography of Knox's later life.

AMERICA

GENERAL ITEMS

The Carnegie Institution of Washington has just published Professor Carl R. Fish's *Guide to the Materials for American History in Roman and Other Italian Archives* (pp. 289), listing *spolia opima*, chiefly from the archives of the Vatican and the Propaganda, and followed immediately by Professor William H. Allison's *Inventory of Unpublished Materials for American Religious History, chiefly in Protestant Church Archives* (pp. 254), listing the contents of several scores of repositories. Galley-proof of Mr. David W. Parker's *Calendar of Territorial Papers in Government Archives at Washington* has mostly been read. Dr. Paullin has completed his researches in London for the *Guide to Materials for the History of the United States since 1783 in London Archives* prepared by him and by Professor Paxson. The British government kindly consented that the researches for this book in the Foreign Office, Colonial Office, and Home Office papers, and some others, should, with some minor reservations, be extended beyond the usual date of 1837 to the year 1860.

A lectureship on the history and institutions of the United States has been established at the University of Oxford, with the expectation that American scholars will be selected to deliver the lectures, and that they will deal with the political, institutional, economic, or social history of the country. The first lectures are expected to be given in the summer of 1911.

A revised edition of Professor Channing and Hart's very useful *Guide to the Study of American History* (Boston, 1896) is being prepared by Professors Channing, Hart, and Turner, and will be issued in a few months.

The Superintendent of Documents has published as *Price List 50* a considerable list, of 116 small pages, of the United States public documents which he has for sale relating to political and military history, biography, diplomatic relations, and the like. This price list can be had gratis on application.

The School of American Archaeology, sustained by the Archaeological Institute of America, and having its headquarters in the Old Palace at Santa Fé, resumed early in 1911 its excavations at Quirigua in Guatemala, continuing its "first campaign" of 1910 for the study of the monuments of southern Maya culture. In co-operation with the Bureau of American Ethnology, and with the aid of Dr. A. F. Bandelier, it will continue its ethnological survey of the Rio Grande valley. In August it will maintain a summer school at El Rito de los Frijoles, New Mexico.

The Association of History Teachers of the Middle States and Maryland held its annual meeting in Washington on March 10 and 11, the chief historical paper being by Professor James T. Shotwell of Columbia University, on the Social Point of View in the Teaching of History. The New England Association of History Teachers is to meet at Dartmouth College on May 11, 12, and 13.

It is announced that the Houghton Mifflin Company will publish in the spring *The Origin and Growth of the American Constitution*, by Hannis Taylor, similar in character to the author's work on the English constitution.

Professors Carl R. Fish and Frederic L. Paxson have undertaken to publish, through the medium of the Wisconsin Academy of Arts and Sciences, a complete series of maps illustrating congressional elections. These maps will be published from year to year until completed, when they will be brought together and issued as a single publication.

The Albert Shaw Lectures in American diplomatic history, annually given at the Johns Hopkins University, will this spring be given by Dr. Charles O. Paullin, his subject being that of the diplomatic services and activities of American naval commanders and other officers.

Senate Document No. 831 of the third session of the Sixty-First Congress is a compilation of reciprocity treaties between the United States and foreign powers.

G. P. Putnam's Sons have issued *The Commercial Power of Congress, considered in the Light of its Origin*, by W. D. Brown. The author treats of "the origin, development, and contemporary interpretation of the commerce clause of the Constitution from the New Jersey representations of 1778 to the embargo laws of Jefferson's administration".

The lectures of President Benjamin Ide Wheeler as Roosevelt professor in the University of Berlin have been issued in Strassburg by Trübner with the title *Unterricht und Demokratie in Amerika*.

The J. B. Lippincott Company announces *A Short History of the United States Navy*, by Captain George R. Clark, U. S. N., and other naval officers. The aim of the writers is to present a straightforward account of naval affairs from a professional point of view.

Dr. David Kinley's work *The Independent Treasury of the United States*, which was published in 1893, has been revised and brought down to date by the author and is now issued by the National Monetary Commission under the title *The Independent Treasury of the United States and its Relations to the Banks of the Country* (Washington, Government Printing Office, 1910, 61 Cong., 2 sess., *Sen. Doc. No. 587*, pp. 370).

The National Monetary Commission has issued *State Banks and Trust Companies since the Passage of the National-Bank Act*, by Professor George E. Barnett of Johns Hopkins University (Washington, Government Printing Office, 1911, pp. 366). Part I. of the book treats analytically and historically of state-bank and trust-company legislation. In part II. the author examines in particular the causes of the growth of state banks and trust companies. There are numerous statistical tables throughout the book. A study of "The Insurance of Bank Deposits in the West", two articles written by Thornton Cooke for the *Quarterly Journal of Economics* (November, 1909, and February, 1910) constitutes an appendix of 90 pages.

The American Book Company sends us *Makers and Defenders of America*, by Misses Anna E. Foote and Avery W. Skinner, intended to instruct school-children in the history of the period since 1763 by reading-matter chiefly biographical. It is moderately interesting but without distinction, and abounds in errors.

Part I. of Bulletin 30 of the Bureau of American Ethnology, first volume of its *Hand-Book of American Indians North of Mexico*, edited by Frederick W. Hodge, was published in 1907 and comprises the articles for the letters A to M in what is really an encyclopaedia of matters relating to the American Indians. Part II. (pages 1221) has now been issued and includes besides the articles from N to Z a "synonymy" of names extending to more than 150 pages and an extensive bibliography. The book, as now completed, is doubtless the most comprehensive and authoritative book on American Indians yet published, its articles being written by the best experts and its editing remarkably careful, competent, and scholarly.

Bulletin 45 of the Bureau of American Ethnology is *Chippewa Music* (pp. xix, 216), by Frances Densmore. Miss Densmore has made a careful study of the music of the Chippewa Indians on several of the reservations in Minnesota and besides presenting a scientific study of the characteristics of the music of the Chippewas has recorded by means of a phonograph two hundred of their songs, which are given in this volume together with explanatory narratives and analyses. Bulletin 37 of the Bureau's series is *Antiquities of Central and Southeastern Missouri* (pp. vii, 116), by Gerard Fowke. The work recorded in this volume was done under the auspices of the St. Louis Society of the Archaeological Institute of America.

Mr. Alfred Söderström of Minnesota has brought together a body of material for a history of the Swedish press in America, which he has published under the title *Blixtar på Tidningshorisonten*. Mr. Söderström has listed Swedish-American newspapers and other periodical publications to the number of 1158.

Mr. Samuel Oppenheim has published a monograph on *The Jews and Masonry in the United States before 1810*.

The *Journal of American History*, vol. V., no. 1, contains an account by H. M. Baker of the siege of Louisburg in 1745; a sketch of William Cocke, one of the first senators from Tennessee, by William Goodrich; and a short account of prison ships in the American Revolution, by C. E. West. From the *Journals* of the Princeton Historical Association is taken the account by an eye-witness of the battle of Princeton, edited by V. L. Collins. The printing of the orderly books of Ensign Samuel Talmadge continues.

In the October number of the *Magazine of History* is an outline history of "The American Thanksgiving", by Mary C. Sweet, the second paper on Pennsylvania county names, by George R. Prowell, and the concluding paper of Malcolm G. Sausser entitled "An American Loyalist: Moody of New Jersey". In the November number appears an article on the practical work of the Daughters of the Revolution in North Carolina, by Mary Hilliard Hinton.

ITEMS ARRANGED IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER

It is expected that the third volume of Rev. Thomas J. Campbell's *Pioneer Priests of North America* will shortly come from the press.

The Beginnings of the American Revolution, by Ellen Chase (New York, the Baker and Taylor Company), traces colonial protest through its various forms and degrees to Gage's proclamation of June 12, 1775. The work, which is three volumes in extent and illustrated, draws largely on documentary sources, but concerns itself chiefly with the vicinity of Boston.

Mrs. Danske Dandridge of Shepherdstown, West Virginia, has prepared a general account of the *American Prisoners of the Revolution* (1911, 500 pp.), published and sold by the author.

New volumes in Small, Maynard, and Company's series *The Beacon Biographies* are *Benjamin Franklin*, by Lindsay Swift, and *George Washington*, by Worthington Chauncey Ford.

The *Records of the American Catholic Historical Society* for December prints under the caption "Propaganda Documents; Appointment of the First Bishop of Baltimore" translations of the "Documents relative to the Adjustment of the Roman Catholic Organization in the United States to the Conditions of National Independence, 1783-1789",

which appeared in the issue of this journal for July, 1910. Rev. E. I. Devitt, S. J., furnishes an introduction to the translations.

Dr. James A. Robertson has edited a series of documents, hitherto unpublished, which portray the social, economic, and political conditions in the territory represented in the Louisiana purchase, to which he has given the title *Louisiana under the Rule of Spain, France, and the United States, 1785-1807*. Volume I. has already appeared (Cleveland, Arthur H. Clark Company).

Professor Farrand's *Records of the Federal Convention* has just been published by the Yale University Press; all copies, both of the *édition de luxe* and of the regular first edition, were subscribed for before publication, but there will be other issues.

George W. Jacobs and Company have brought out *Historic Dress in America, 1800-1870*, by Elizabeth McClellan, whose previous volume dealt with the period 1607-1800.

A Life of Andrew Jackson, by Professor John S. Bassett, is expected to be published in May.

The Life of Hiram Paulding, Rear-Admiral, U. S. N., by Rebecca Paulding Meade (New York, Baker and Taylor Company, pp. xi, 321), is essentially a collection of episodes in Paulding's life. Two chapters, relating to a visit to Simon Bolívar, are taken from Paulding's *Bolívar and his Camp*. One chapter is concerned with the capture of William Walker, the filibuster. Considerable use is made of Paulding's journal, and several letters to and from him are printed in full.

A question which has been considerably debated of late is discussed, with additional facts, in the pamphlet *Was Secession Taught at West Point?* (pp. 40), a paper by Lieutenant-Colonel James W. Latta, published by the Pennsylvania Commandery of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion.

General W. T. Sherman as a College President, by David F. Boyd, late president of Louisiana State University, appears as a university bulletin of that institution, being reprinted from the April (1910) issue of *The American College*.

The American Philosophical Society have published separately *The Great Japanese Embassy of 1860*, a paper read before the society in April, 1910, by Patterson Du Bois.

The Story of a Cannoneer under Stonewall Jackson, by E. A. Moore, describes the part taken by the Rockbridge artillery in the Army of Northern Virginia. An introduction to the book is furnished by Robert E. Lee, jr., and H. St. George Tucker (Lynchburg, J. P. Bell Company).

Gettysburg: the Pivotal Battle of the Civil War, by R. K. Bucham, is announced by A. C. McClurg and Company.

Major-General Grenville M. Dodge has brought out through the Monarch Printing Company, Council Bluffs, Iowa, *The Battle of Atlanta and other Campaigns, Addresses, etc.*

General Basil W. Duke has written his *Reminiscences*, which Doubleday, Page, and Company will publish.

The Life of J. L. M. Curry, member of Congress from Alabama before the Civil War, member of the Confederate Congress, and for many years agent of the Peabody Fund, has been brought out by the Macmillan Company. The authors are President E. A. Alderman and A. C. Gordon.

The New York State Library has issued as a bulletin ("Legislation 40") of the Education Department *American Ballot Laws, 1888-1910* (pp. 220), by Arthur C. Luddington. The monograph consists of a chronological survey, classification, and digest of the ballot laws, including also a digest of the constitutional and statutory provisions in regard to the use of voting machines.

Mr. Charles Morris has written a volume which he entitles *The Marvellous Career of Theodore Roosevelt*, etc. (Philadelphia, Winston). Another biography of the former president, which will shortly be issued by A. C. McClurg and Company, is that of Dr. Max Kullnick. The book will appear in a translation made by Professor Frederick von Rietdorf and will bear the title *From Rough Rider to President*.

LOCAL ITEMS, ARRANGED IN GEOGRAPHICAL ORDER

In the *New England Historical and Genealogical Register* for January the bibliography of lists of New England soldiers, by Mary E. Baker, is continued, as is also A. M. Dyer's contribution on "First Ownership of Ohio Lands".

At a meeting of the Maine Historical Society on December 14, Mr. George S. Delano delivered an address on "The Humanity of Historical Societies". At a meeting on February 16, a paper by Rev. Henry O. Thayer entitled "Sir William Phips and his Relations with his native Town of Woolwich" was read. The society has issued as volume XVI. of its documentary series a new volume of the *Baxter Manuscripts*. The state has published *York Deeds*, book 18, 1735-1737 (Bethel, pp. 654, 123).

The *Report* of the state historian of Maine for the years 1909 and 1910 reviews the legislation in behalf of the office of state historian and describes the work done during the past two years in assembling, arranging, and publishing the historical materials in his custody.

Much material on the Aroostook War and the northeast boundary question will be found in the first volume of the *Collections of the Piscataquis County Historical Society* (Dover, Maine, 1910, pp. 522).

A *History of the Town of Andover, New Hampshire, 1751-1906*, by J. R. Eastman, has been brought out in Andover by the committee on town history.

The October serial of the *Proceedings* of the Massachusetts Historical Society contains an account of Goldwin Smith's visit to the United States in 1864, by Mr. Worthington C. Ford, a suggestive paper on the campaign of 1777, by Mr. Charles Francis Adams, and the journal of Rev. Joseph Emerson, jr., a naval chaplain in the expedition against Louisburg in 1745. To the *Proceedings* for November Mr. Adams contributes a paper on "Contemporary Opinion on the Howes", and Mr. Ford one on "Parliament and the Howes". These articles are the outgrowth of an examination of three volumes of pamphlets in possession of the society, once a part of the library of Israel Mauduit and containing liberal annotations by Mauduit and some by Joseph Galloway. An account of these pamphlets is appended by Mr. Ford to his paper. Professor J. F. Jameson contributes Plymouth letters of John Bridge and Emmanuel Altham to James Sherley, 1623 and 1624. In the December serial, under the title "The Weems Dispensation", Mr. Charles Francis Adams discourses upon Washington's military conduct in the Long Island campaign. An Indian deed for Nauset, 1666, is also printed, and the diary of Rev. Joseph Emerson, jr., for 1748-1749. The January issue contains a discussion of the maximum marching rates of infantry, by Mr. Charles Francis Adams; an account of the last blockade run of the *Sumter*, by one of its officers; certain remarkable political letters of Jonathan Russell to Henry Clay and John Quincy Adams in 1815; several papers relating to the trial of Anthony Burns; and a journal of a visit to the "western country" in 1845, by the late W. W. Greenough.

Professor Everett Kimball of Smith College has in press a book on *The Public Career of Joseph Dudley*.

The *Essex Institute Historical Collections* continues in the January number the list of prizes and recaptures (1813-1814) taken from the records of the vice-admiralty court at Halifax, Nova Scotia, and the Revolutionary orderly book of Captain Jeremiah Putnam of Danvers, Massachusetts, in the Rhode Island campaign, 1779.

The Macmillan Company have published *The Siege of Boston*, by Allen French.

The late Miss Gertrude S. Kimball left a manuscript on *Colonial Providence*, which will be published in elaborate form by the Houghton Mifflin Company.

Mr. Anson Phelps Stokes, jr., has prepared a descriptive list, chronologically arranged, of engraved views of New Haven, which he has brought out with the title *Historical Prints of New Haven, Connecticut, with special reference to Yale College and the Green*. A useful table of local dates is added.

The managing editor wishes to point out an important erratum on page 75 of his *Narratives of New Netherland*. The date of the sailing of the *Nieu Nederlandt* and the planting of the first colony in the province has long been held to have been 1623. This rests (hitherto) solely on a passage in Wassenaer. The editor was convinced by arguments of Mr. van Laer that the true meaning was 1624. The correction was sent to the printers of the book, but just failed to arrive in time. If the effect of this should be to help in perpetuating a wrong date for the founding of one of our thirteen colonies, the erratum may be worth mentioning in these pages.

The papers of the manor of Rensselaerswyck and of the Van Rensselaer family have been transferred by the family to the New York State Library under an agreement that provides for making this material available for the purposes of historical research. The collection contains about 200 volumes of documents, half of them in Dutch and belonging to the period prior to 1700, and about 25,000 papers relating for the most part to the administration of the manor for two hundred years. Beside family letters, land patents, deeds, maps, leases, etc., the collection includes proceedings of the court of the colony, resolutions of the commissioners, and letters of Arent van Curler, Peter Stuyvesant, and the first four English governors. The State Library has also secured a collection of papers of Dr. E. B. O'Callaghan, which includes 700 or 800 letters, chiefly of the period 1860-1880, and O'Callaghan's own papers dealing with Indian names, Jesuit relations, etc.

The state historian of New York announces for publication within the current year the *Minutes of the Committee of the City and County of Albany, 1775-1778*, in three volumes, to be completed by an analytical index; also the first volume of an analytical index to the eight printed volumes of the *Public Papers of Governor George Clinton*. A similar index to the *Minutes of the Executive Council of the Province of New York: Administration of Francis Lovelace, 1668 to 1673*, which was recently published in two volumes, will shortly be begun.

The *Report* of the director of the New York State Library for 1909 (issued in January, 1911) includes an account of the accessions to the manuscripts section and in particular a descriptive list of the "Van Rensselaer Bowier Manuscripts, series 2".

The *Historic Mohawk*, by Mary Riggs Diefendorf (Putnam, pp. xiv, 331), is not so much a connected narrative as a series of essays upon salient features of the valley's history, with a considerable number of hitherto unpublished documents.

Mrs. Mary McArthur Tuttle, widow of the late Professor Herbert Tuttle, has presented to the library of Cornell University the books on which his *History of Prussia* was mainly based.

Mr. Stan. V. Henkels contributes to the *Pennsylvania Magazine of*

History and Biography for October an interesting series of letters from Thomas Jefferson to William Wirt, 1805 to 1816, to which is given the caption "Jefferson's Recollections of Patrick Henry", but which embody recollections not directly connected with Henry's career. The *Magazine* prints also an autobiographical sketch of General John Burrows of Lycoming County, Pennsylvania, which, though written in 1837, embodies recollections of military events in the Revolution. The orderly book of General Muhlenberg (1777) is continued. In the department of "Notes and Queries" appear several letters of interest: General Sullivan to President Hancock, October 6, 1777; General Washington to General Smallwood, March 21, 1778; James McHenry to Elias Boudinot, July 2, 1778; Robert Morris to General Anthony Wayne, March 27, 1795; and William Findley to General William Irvine, March 30, 1798.

Mr. James Hadden of Uniontown, Pennsylvania, has issued a reprint of *The Monongahela of Old: or Historical Sketches of South-Western Pennsylvania to the Year 1800*, by James Veech.

The *Bulletin* of the Virginia State Library for October contains in 73 pages a valuable annotated bibliography of the conventions and constitutions of Virginia including references to essays, letters, and speeches in the Virginia newspapers and a variety of information.

The *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography* for January prints under its running caption "Miscellaneous Colonial Documents" a number of letters from Nathaniel Blakiston, agent for Maryland and Virginia, to the governor and council of Virginia, 1705 to 1709, and a letter from Philip Ludwell to Edward Jennings, 1709, in regard to a negro plot. The material from the Randolph manuscript relates to the years 1685-1686. Appearing in this issue are some items from the Sir William Johnson papers, among them the proceedings of a council of officers held at Fort Loudoun, March 30, 1758, to consider a proposal of peace affecting the Southern Indians. The Revolutionary army orders printed in this issue are of Wayne's light infantry corps, September to October, 1779. Mention may also be made of a diary of a journey to Ohio and Kentucky in 1805 by Henry Bartlett.

The *William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine* for January prints part of an address by the editor upon "The Medical Men of Virginia", delivered in Richmond in May, 1910. Mr. Lewis Beckner contributes parts of a Caroline County survey book now found in Alexandria, Kentucky, and Mr. A. J. Morrison a note on "Mabinogion of the West". There is also a letter of John Tyler to the editor of the *Boston Times*, September 28, 1843.

Mr. D. R. Anderson of Richmond College, Richmond, Virginia, is collecting material for a life of William B. Giles, United States senator, 1804-1815, and governor of Virginia, 1827-1830, and would appreciate information concerning letters of Giles or other material bearing on his life.

J. P. McConnell is the author of a small volume entitled *Negroes and their Treatment in Virginia from 1865 to 1867* (Emory, Virginia, published by the author).

It is announced that Professor John W. Wayland, whose work *The German Element of the Shenandoah Valley* appeared a short while ago, has in preparation a *History of Rockingham County, Virginia*, which will be published by Ruebush-Elkins Company of Dayton, Virginia.

The "Third Biennial Report of the North Carolina Historical Commission", which is issued as Bulletin No. 9 of the commission's *Publications* and is in fact the report of the secretary of the commission, Mr. R. D. W. Connor, gives a detailed account of the work done by the commission during the past two years. Especial mention should be made of the descriptive memoranda of the contents of several collections of manuscripts in the custody of the commission, particularly the David L. Swain papers, the Charles E. Johnson collection, the papers of Zebulon Vance, the papers of Major-General Bryan Grimes, and the E. J. Hale collection, the latter emanating from the editorial office of the *Fayetteville Observer* and relating to the years 1832-1869. One-half of the report describes historical activities in North Carolina, 1909-1910.

The North Carolina Historical Commission has recently received about 1000 manuscripts of considerable interest. Among them are a number of letters and other documents relating to the mission, composed of Chief Justice Ellsworth, Governor William R. Davie, of North Carolina, and William Vans Murray, which President Adams sent to France in 1799 to settle the differences between France and the United States. They embrace letters of the Secretary of State, Timothy Pickering, Oliver Ellsworth, and notes and memoranda kept by the American ministers during the negotiations.

The general assembly of North Carolina, in its recent session, made an appropriation of \$250,000 for the erection of a fireproof building for the housing of the Historical Commission, the State Library, the Hall of History, and the Supreme Court and its library and records.

Dr. Stephen B. Weeks's index to the colonial and state records of North Carolina will, it is hoped, be ready for distribution some time during the present year.

Professor J. G. de Roulhac Hamilton of the University of North Carolina is collecting material for a biography of Governor James Hamilton of South Carolina and would be grateful for letters, copies of letters, or information.

In the *South Carolina Historical and Genealogical Magazine* for October, 1910, Mr. H. A. M. Smith continues his series of articles on the baronies of South Carolina by one on Fairlawn. The January number adds one on the Cypress Barony. It also contains three letters of Rawlins Lowndes, 1778-1779.

The paper of chief historical value in the *Quarterly of the Texas State Historical Association* for January is "Apache Relations in Texas, 1718-1750", by W. E. Dunn, a paper based upon an extensive study of the sources. Mr. H. Y. Benedict contributes a biographical sketch of the late Professor Garrison, and Mr. A. W. Terrell a memorial address on Stephen F. Austin.

A Texas Pioneer: Early Staging and Overland Freight Days on the Frontier of Texas and Mexico, by August Santleben, edited by I. D. Affleck (Washington, Neale, 1910, pp. 321), is replete with reminiscences of many sorts but possesses especial interest for its description of the conditions and methods of transportation on the Texan and Mexican frontiers from about 1865 to 1880, conditions and methods now obsolete. Some added chapters treat in particular of the colonizing project of Henry Castro about 1844.

Hood's Texas Brigade: its Marches, its Battles, its Achievements (Washington, Neale, pp. 347) is the work of Mr. J. B. Polley, a member of the brigade, who was selected as brigade historian by the organization of survivors and commissioned to write a "fair and impartial history" of the brigade. "The thread of it", says the author, "is spun almost entirely out of material furnished by the memories and diaries of himself and his comrades", as little documentary material relating to the services of the command has survived.

The *Ohio Archaeological and Historical Quarterly* publishes in its January issue the address of Professor Frederick J. Turner, "The Place of the Ohio Valley in American History", delivered before the Ohio Valley Historical Association at Frankfort in October, 1909. Mr. A. B. Stout contributes to this issue of the *Quarterly* a description of the prehistoric earthworks in Wisconsin, and Mr. Basil Meek an account of General Harmar's expedition against the Indians in 1790. Embraced in the article are the diary of General Harmar, September to November 1790, Major Ferguson's report of the expedition, the statement of Ensign Britt, and the diary of Lieutenant Denny. Most of these documents are from the Draper manuscripts.

The *Quarterly Publication of the Historical and Philosophical Society of Ohio*, in the July-September number, presents reprints of John Cleves Symmes's circular "To the Respectable Public" issued from Trenton November 26, 1787, relative to the Miami purchase, and Symmes's letter to Elias Boudinot, January 12, 1792, relating to the disastrous expedition under St. Clair in 1791. The letter is printed from the original in possession of the society.

Mr. Logan Esary writes for the December issue of the *Indiana Quarterly Magazine of History* an account of the first Indiana banks.

The Illinois State Historical Library expects to publish in the course of the year 1911, three volumes of George Rogers Clark papers, edited

by Professor J. A. James. It has just issued vol VII. of its *Collections*, namely, *Governors' Letter-Books, 1840-1853* (pp. cxviii, 469), edited by Messrs. Evarts B. Greene and Charles M. Thompson.

The Chicago Historical Society has published as separate pamphlets *The Indian as a Diplomatic Factor in the History of the Old Northwest*, by Professor I. J. Cox, and *The Preamble and Boundary Clauses of the Illinois Constitution*, by Herman G. James.

Mr. Charles H. Conover has presented to the Chicago Historical Society his unrivalled collection of Lewis and Clark literature. The society has also acquired the manuscript autobiography of Gurdon S. Hubbard, and the log-book of the *Dunmore*, Captain Alexander Harrow, British armed schooner on the Lakes, 1791-1792. It intends to commemorate the Fort Dearborn massacre of August, 1812, by a volume of documents on Fort Dearborn, to be edited by Mr. Milo M. Quaife.

The *Proceedings* of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin for 1910 include, besides the usual annual reports, a number of historical papers. Professor B. F. Shambaugh discourses upon some general aspects of the history of the West and the pioneers; Professor Carl Russell Fish discusses the relation of archaeology and history; Mr. Gustave de Neveu a Menominee Indian payment in 1838; Mr. Andrew McFarland Davis relates his experiences as an engineer in making a preliminary railroad survey in Wisconsin in 1857; and Messrs. S. A. Sherman and C. C. Lincoln describe in separate articles the methods and experiences of lumber rafting in Wisconsin River. The society has in preparation a third volume of documentary material from the Draper manuscripts, designed as a continuation of *The Revolution on the Upper Ohio*, published three years ago. Embraced within the librarian's report are a report by Mr. Leo F. Stock upon his researches among the Federal archives for material relating to Wisconsin, a report by Dr. Louise P. Kellogg of similar investigations in the library of Mr. Clarence M. Burton of Detroit, and the report of the Committee of Seven on co-operation of historical departments and societies in the calendaring of material in France relating to the history of the Mississippi valley.

In commemoration of the centennial anniversary of its independence, the Mexican government has begun the publication, in sumptuous form, of the series of eighteen volumes of *Documentos Inéditos para la Historia de la Guerra de Independencia Mexicana* formerly described in advance in these pages (XIII. 710). They are edited by Señor Genaro García, and issued by the National Museum. Six volumes of this highly important collection have now appeared, in an order differing from that stated in our earlier note.

The Minnesota Historical Society issued in December a *Report* by the museum committee on the Kensington rune stone. The society has published an address delivered before it in February by Samuel G. Querson on *The Public Lands and School Fund of Minnesota*.

The leading article in the January number of the *Iowa Journal of History and Politics* is an essay by Clifford Powell entitled "The Contributions of Albert Miller Lea to the Literature of Iowa History". "Andersonville and the Trial of Henry Wirz" is by General John Howard Stibbs, who was a member of the court that tried Wirz.

Professor F. I. Herriott writes for the July-October issue of the *Annals of Iowa* an account of the Republican state convention which met in Des Moines in January, 1860, liberally quoting contemporary comments on the conclusions of the convention. Under the caption "Across the Plains in 1850" are printed the journal and letters of Jerome Dutton, written during an overland journey from Iowa to California.

Judge John F. Philips contributes to the October number of the *Missouri Historical Review* an article on "Hamilton Rowan Gamble and the Provisional Government of Missouri". In the same issue is printed a list of newspaper files in the library of the State Historical Society of Missouri.

The third volume of the *Publications* of the Arkansas Historical Association is expected soon to appear. It will contain a study of the constitutional convention of 1836, by Jesse Turner, and a history of the regulation of transportation in Arkansas, by Samuel W. Moore. Measures pending before the state legislature provide for the maintenance of the Arkansas History Commission, for the support of its publications, and for the control of archaeological remains by the commission.

Volume XI. of the *Collections of the Kansas State Historical Society* (Topeka, pp. xxii, 742) contains articles on the Swedish and German-Russian settlements, the Wyandotte constitution, etc.

Mr. T. C. Elliott contributes to the September issue of the *Quarterly of the Oregon Historical Society* a paper on "Peter Skene Ogden, Fur Trader". Professor F. G. Young's article on the financial history of Oregon relates to public expenditures.

Mr. Frederick V. Holman delivered before the Oregon Bar Association on November 15, 1910, an address in which he discussed certain amendments to the state constitution through the initiative and referendum and reviewed the course of court decisions relating to them. The address has been printed with the title *Some Instances of Unsatisfactory Results under Initiative Amendments of the Oregon Constitution* (Portland, 1910, pp. 46).

Mr. Irving B. Richman's *California under Spain and Mexico* will soon be published by the Houghton Mifflin Company.

By Ox Team to California: a Narrative of Crossing the Plains in 1860 (pp. xi, 139), by Lavinia Honeyman Porter, is published in an edition of fifty copies by the Oakland Enquirer Publishing Company, Oakland, California. The narrative is in large measure drawn from a journal kept by the author.

A Senator of the Fifties: David C. Broderick of California, by Jeremiah Lynch (San Francisco, A. M. Robertson), possesses its chief interest in the history which it gives of the early days in California, particularly of the vigilance committees. Broderick was a member of the constitutional convention of 1849, entered the Senate of the United States in 1857, and was killed in a duel by D. S. Terry in 1859.

The Adventures of James Capen Adams, Mountaineer and Grizzly Bear Hunter of California, by Theodore H. Hittell, was published in Boston and San Francisco in 1860 but has long been out of print. A new edition, which Charles Scribner's Sons have just issued, is identical in form and illustrations with the old, except that the author has furnished an introduction and a postscript. Although the book contains reflections that must be attributed to the writer rather than to the hunter these adventures give a good picture of the woodcraft of the region in the fifties and are interesting in themselves.

Recent accessions to the Canadian archives embrace, besides the Durham papers, Lady Durham's journal of 1838; Buller's account of the Durham mission; a body of copies of the letters written by various statesmen to Queen Victoria on Canadian affairs from 1837 to 1866; the Russian and the American correspondence of Sir Charles Bagot; the journals and letters of Charles Grey at the time of his mission to Washington, 1838-1839; ten additional volumes of Selkirk papers; and some two hundred original maps. Of transcripts, the Dominion archives have also acquired twelve books of the Hudson's Bay Company, 1693-1707; four volumes of Nova Scotia papers; two volumes of Shelburne manuscripts; and several volumes from the archives of Paris.

Mr. Hector Garneau, grandson of François Xavier Garneau, is preparing for publication a new edition of the latter's *Histoire du Canada* (first ed., 1845-1852, fourth, 1882-1883), of which the first volume will appear in the present year.

Heft 14 of Lamprecht's *Beiträge zur Kultur- und Universalgeschichte* is entitled *Beiträge zur Charakteristik der älteren Geschichtsschreiber über Spanisch-Amerika: Eine biographisch-bibliographische Skizze* (Leipzig, R. Voigtländer, 1911, pp. xii, 338).

Diaz: Master of Mexico, by James Creelman (New York, Appleton, pp. ix, 442), is an effort to co-ordinate the life of Diaz with the history of Mexico as a whole. The author has had many facilities for the performance of the task which he assumed, including access to the private memoirs of Diaz. The result is at least a picturesque view of Mexican history during three quarters of a century.

The Argentine Republic; its Physical Features, History, Fauna, Flora, Geology, Literature, and Commerce, by A. Stuart Pennington (London, Stanley Paul), contains a comprehensive history of Argentina, comprising about half the contents of the volume.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: W. H. Holmes, *Some Problems of the American Race* (American Anthropologist, n. s., XII. 149-182); E. Vejera, *Cristóbal Colon, Genovés, no Judío-Gallego* (Ateneo, and Revista Bimestre Cubana, July-October); G. B. Hertz, *Bishop Seabury* (English Historical Review, January); B. W. Bond, jr., *A Colonial Side-light* (Sewanee Review, January); W. C. Ford, *Washington at the Crisis of the Revolutionary War* (Century, March); Mrs. J. Van Vorst, *American Society in 1783 as seen by two French Noblemen* (Lippincot.'s, February); H. E. Hoagland, *Early Transportation on the Mississippi* (Journal of Political Economy, February); H. F. Griffin, *The Gerry-mander* (Outlook, February); C. O. Paullin, *Early Voyages of American Naval Vessels to the Orient*, IX. (United States Naval Institute Proceedings, December); E. V. O'Hara, *Francis Norbert Blanchet, the Apostle of Oregon* (Catholic University Bulletin, December); J. S. Bassett, *James Knox Polk, President* (South Atlantic Quarterly, January); C. W. Moores, *The Career of a Country Lawyer: Abraham Lincoln* (American Law Review, November-December, January-February); General Nelson A. Miles, *The Last Days of Rebellion* (Cosmopolitan, March); P. A. Bruce, *The National Spirit of General Lee* (South Atlantic Quarterly, January); Gamaliel Bradford, *Lee and the Confederate Government* (Atlantic Monthly, February); A. R. H. Ranson, *General Lee as I knew him* (Harper's, February); G. H. Putnam, *The Civil War Fifty Years After* (Review of Reviews, March); W. P. Few, *The College in Southern Development* (South Atlantic Quarterly, January); H. J. Ford, *The Cause of Political Corruption* (Scribner's, January); Frederick McCormick, *How America got into China* (Century, January); Mrs. Burton Harrison, *Recollections Grave and Gay* (Scribner's, March); Hector Garneau, *François Xavier Garneau* (Bulletin du Parler Français au Canada, February); Abbé A. Gosselin, *La Mission au Canada avant Mgr. de Laval* (Revue Catholique de Normandie, 1909); L.-A. Prud'homme, *Les Compagnies de la Baie d'Hudson et du Nord-Ouest*, cont. (La Nouvelle France, January); P. Miguélez, *La Independencia de México*, VI, VII. (La Ciudad de Dios, January 5, 20).